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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows.

- 1. (Currently Amended) An arrangement Arrangement—for carrying out a method for controlling a multi-phased and reversible rotating electrical machine, associated with a heat engine of a vehicle, specifically, an automobile, including a network for supplying electrical energy and a battery serving as a source of electrical energy connected to this network, as well as a command and control unit for the said electrical machine, in which overexcitation of the machine [1]—for a predetermined period of time causes the production of energy, and makes this energy available for the execution of certain functions associated with the vehicle, characterized in that it includes comprising:
 - a device for supplying the energy produced during the predetermined period of time of overexcitation of the machine; in that wherein the device for supplying the energy is an energy storage device [9] that can be connected to the rotating electrical machine [1]—by means of a switching device—[6] during the predetermined period of time of overexcitation of the machine, in that it includes
 - a DC to DC device [4] which device is mounted between the energy supply battery [2] and the energy storage device, and, [9], downstream from the switching device [6], in that it includes
 - a circuit [7]-that can directly connect the rotating electrical machine [1]-to the battery, wherein [2], and in that a switch [T1]-is provided in the above-mentioned circuit [7].
- (Currently Amended) <u>The arrangement Arrangement according to claim 1, characterized in that wherein</u> the switch advantageously consists of comprises a MOSFET transistor [T1].
- 3. (Currently Amended) <u>The arrangement Arrangement according to claim 2</u>, characterized in that wherein the switching device [6] is a static switch device.

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4. (Currently Amended) The arrangement Arrangement according to claim 3, characterized in that wherein the energy storage device [9]—is a capacitor device, advantageously consisting of a supercapacitor with low internal resistance.

- 5. (Currently Amended) The arrangement Arrangement-according to claim 4, eharacterized in that wherein the switching device includes two transistors, [T1] [T2], advantageously of the MOSFET type, which are mounted head-to-tail in the output circuit of the rotating electrical machine [1].
- 6. (Currently Amended) The arrangement Arrangement-according to claim 1, characterized in that wherein the switching device [6] consists of comprises a diode [D], with a switch [R] mounted in series with the said-diode.
- 7. (Currently Amended) The arrangement Arrangement according to claim 6, characterized in that wherein the above mentioned switch [R] consists of comprises an electromagnetic relay.
- 8. (New) The arrangement according to claim 1, wherein the switching device is mounted between the rotating electrical machine and the energy storage device.
- 9. (New) The arrangement according to claim 4, wherein the energy storage device is a supercapacitor with low internal resistance.
- 10. (New) The arrangement according to claim 5, wherein at least one of the transistors is of the metal-oxide-semiconductor field-effect transistor (MOSFET) type.

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